

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of	:	<u>PATENT</u>
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Before examination of the above-captioned application on the merits, with reference to the accompanying substitute specification, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendment to the Abstract are reflected on page 8 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.